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Re:

WC Docket No. 10-90

Comments of RCN Telecom Services (Lehigh) LLC

FRN: 0019653450

RCN Telecom Services (Lehigh) LLC ("RCN") submits these comments in response to the Wireline Competition Bureau's (the "Bureau") Public Notice<sup>1</sup>, publishing its preliminary determination of rate-of-return study areas that are 100 percent overlapped by unsubsidized competitors. The Public Notice included a list of the study areas preliminarily determined to be subject to a 100 percent overlap (the "Preliminary Determination List"). The Preliminary Determination List included the 170175 study area served by Ironton Telephone Company ("Ironton"), which is also served, in part, by RCN. For the reasons set forth herein, RCN submits that the Bureau's determination appears to be incorrect to the extent that the Bureau relies only on the RCN deployment file and assumes that RCN served blocks constitute a 100% overlap with Ironton. RCN conducted a review and confirmed that it does not offer service to all possible locations within the blocks in RCN's deployment file.

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For the foregoing reason, RCN respectfully requests that its presence in study area

170175 should not be determinative that the study area belongs on the final list of study areas

subject to a 100 percent overlap.

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